Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—The answers given are not satisfactory. I am making a positive statement saying that there has been a lot of delay in the office of the Deputy Commissioner in the matter of finalising these load survey forms. Will the Government kindly look into this aspect of the question ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—If the forms are pending in the office of the Deputy Commissioner and if they are received in proper form, they will be examined.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—May I know whether there was a requisition from the representative of the area to the Minister concerned about two years ago in respect of the complaints by these villages that the forms are not being properly attended to in the office of the Deputy Commissioner ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I do not remember exactly. Anyway the matter will be verified and the Hon'ble Member will be informed about the cause of the delay.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—In respect of Mandya Koppal, will the Government kindly verify whether the information given is correct ? There has been an application, properly filled much earlier.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—The question is pendency of estimates pertaining to Mandya Koppal with the Superintendent of Power of Light. The Superintendent has been in receipt of the forms and the applications were completed on 14-2-1956.

Power Supply to I.P. sets in Gudibanda and Bagepalli Taluks.

Q.—193. Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY (Bagepalli-Gudibanda).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how many applications were received for the last three years from the raiyats of Gudibanda and Bagepalli Taluks for power supply for I.P. sets ;

(*b*) how many were sanctioned ;

(*c*) how many are still pending and where pending ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Industries).—

(*a*) Bagepalli Taluk	...	128
Gudibanda Taluk	...	25
(*b*) Bagepalli	...	93
Gudibanda	...	5

(*c*) Bagepalli Taluk.—

No. of Applications.	*Where pending.*
29 applications at Gulur and Maraganakunte.	Pending in the Section.
3 at Pathabagepalli	... Do
3 at Narepally	... Do

Gudibanda Taluk.—

20 I.P. sets Bachaganahalli and Bommenahalli.	Pending with Chief Electrical Engineer.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—May I know the number of places in Bagepalli Taluk where pump sets have been given ?

*Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—The names are not before me.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—Can you give at least the number of places where power has been sanctioned ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Out of 95 cases which have been sanctioned, 53 were sanctioned in February 1956 and in respect of the remaining 45 some are serviced and some are nearing completion.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—There are only 9 sets working today.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I have given you the information. Out of 98 sanctioned, 53 were sanctioned only in February 1956 and out of the remaining 45, some are serviced and some are nearing completion.

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Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—What is exactly the number of pumps which are working and the quantity of power supplied to these pumps ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Those details I have not got with me. Anyway all the 53 are nearing completion.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—Out of 93 sanctioned, can the Hon'ble Minister at least tell me when power will be supplied ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Immediately ofter the work is completed and the parties fulfil the conditions, power will be given.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—In spite of conditions being fulfilled, I have been saying that power has still not been given. They say, there is lack of material.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—If it is due to lack of material, the Hon'ble Member will understand that the Department cannot create material all of a sudden. Poles have to be got from Shimoga and other things will have to be imported from America. We will try to step up the stock position as far as possible.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—Does the Hon'ble Minister know that while power is not given to Bagepally taluk, for other places in Kolar District, which applied for pump sets two or three years later, pumpsets have been sanctioned.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Kolar District has enjoyed some special preferences.

Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY.—It may be Gauribidanur Taluk wherefrom Sri Nagiah Reddy hails, but not Bagepally and Gudibanda.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—As far as possible, I shall try to push up the work as early as possible.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—Out of 93 that have been sanctioned, how many were sanctioned before this question was tabled and how many after ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I have given definite dates of sanction : 29 were sanctioned before 15th December 1955 ; 24 were sanctioned before 4th February 1956.

Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY.—What steps have the Government taken to sanction the remaining applications ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Regarding the remaining applications, deposits have not been correctly paid in. The parties were informed and they have subsequently on 8th November 1955 made proper deposits. Estimates have been prepared and they are under scrutiny by the Chief Electrical Engineer and are under submission to Government for sanction.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—With regard to the 20 I.P. sets pending with the Chief Electrical Engineer, may I know why they were kept pending for such a long time ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—As I already said, deposits were not correctly made and parties were informed of it and they deposited proper amounts subsequently on 8th November 1955. Further action has been taken and they will be sanctioned in due course.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—You were pleased to mention that for as many as 93 sets power has been sanctioned Is it not necessary that Government should make sure that materials are available before they are sanctioned ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—If the Hon'ble Member wants that sanction should be withheld till materials are available, we have no objection.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—What useful purpose will be served if merely pump sets are sanctioned if materials are not available ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Sanction is given on merits and as and when materials are available, work will be taken up for execution.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—Will the Government take steps to make the materials available ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Government is making hectic efforts to make materials readily available as far as possible.

Rural Industrialisation Scheme (Officers).

Q.—249. Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Molakalmuru).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the total establishment charges incurred per month for working out